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Conſiſtency and *Steadineſs* in Argument are Qualifications ſo abſolutely neceſſary to a Polemick Writer, that, without them, 'tis impoſſible he ſhould acquire either Honour to himſelf, or Credit to the Cauſe he endeavours to maintain. However unſound an Author's Principles be in the main, it carries with it ſome Appearance, at leaſt, of Virtue to be ſteady and uniform in his Defence of them: Whereas if he is known to ſhift and change his Opinion, as Times and Seaſons ſeem for or againſt him, he gives up all Pretention to even the Shadow of Integrity, and, of courſe, forfeits all Claim to Belief and Approbation.

Whatever Mr. *D'Anvers*'s Principles be, or whether he acts upon any Principles at all, is not what I ſhall at preſent enquire into; but I will beg Leave to ſay, that if *Steadineſs* and *Conſiſtency* be Indications of the Righteouſneſs of an Author's *Principles*, there never was one that has given more Room for ſuſpecting his *Integrity*, than my Fellow-Labourer *Caleb*. Of this I could produce ten thouſand Inſtances in his voluminous Writings; but at this Time I ſhall content myſelf with producing two only out of his laſt *Craftſmen*.

When Mr. *D'Anvers* thought it for his Purpoſe to attack the *Miniſtry* for their Steadineſs in maintaining the *Conſtitution*, as handed down to them from the *Revolution*, 'the Work was unfiniſh'd by the Great *Deliverer*; the Barrier of our *Liberties* was not ſufficiently ſecur'd; ſome *Laws* ſhould be repeal'd, and ſome enacted to fix the Boundaries of the *Prerogative*, and aſcertain the *Rights* of the People.' I appeal to the Publick, whether the Language of the *Craftſman* has not frequently been to this, or the like Purpoſe.

But now that it is thought proper to alter the *Modus* of the Attack upon the *Adminiſtration*, this very ſame *Conſtitution* is, all of a ſudden, *become ſo extremely* Wiſe and Good, *that it muſt naturally create Love in the Subjects, and Love will naturally diſpoſe them to act with Vigour upon all Occaſions for the Preſervation of it.*—— The Author, in another Part of the ſame *Journal*, ſpeaking of the Languidneſs of the preſent *Amor Patriæ* (in this Country) ſays; 'And if it ſhould appear that our *Remiſſneſs of Spirit* is rather to be imputed to the *preſent Management of Affairs* than to the *Engliſh Conſtitution* in general, it is in our Power to correct it, &c.'— But this is not all; for in the next Paragraph it is without any *Defect* whatever. 'That it is not owing to any *Defect* in our *Conſtitution* (Remiſſneſs of Spirit) is, I think, not only apparent from Hiſtory, &c. but from the *Excellence* of our Laws in general.—— We may ſtill boaſt of that *Happy Liberty*, &c.'

Here we find that lame, defective *Conſtitution*, ſo often painted ſuch by the conſiſtent *Caleb*, grow up to be *Wiſe* and *Good*; naturally *creating Love in the Subjects*; *without Defect*; and productive of *Happy Liberty*, *which* we may boaſt of.

Our *Journaliſt* himſelf partly ſaves me the Trouble of ſhewing why he thus ſo glaringly contradicts himſelf in Regard to the *Conſtitution*, by imputing our *Remiſſneſs of Spirit* to the *preſent Management of Affairs* rather than any the leaſt Defect in the *Conſtitution*. When *certain Gentlemen*, determin'd to overthrow a *certain Miniſter* that ſtands in their Way to Power, have judg'd it for their Intereſt to propoſe the Repeal of ſome *Laws*, and enacting others, which would neceſſarily be oppoſed by all true Lovers of the Nation, then it was that *Caleb* was order'd to proclaim the *Conſtitution* as defective; but now that 'tis judg'd neceſſary to vilify the *Management of Affairs*, all the Fault lies in the *Adminiſtration*, and the *Conſtitution* is without Wrinkle or Defect.

In like Manner, have we ſeen *Caleb* declaim againſt the growing *Luxury* of the Age, as countenanc'd at leaſt, if not propagated underhand by the *Miniſtry*, in order to impoveriſh the People for the dark Purpoſes of Power. We have ſeen many elaborate Diſcourſes on this Purpoſe; but by a Kind of Metamorphoſis peculiar to the Scribes of *Faction*, that Bane of Induſtry, the *Gangreen* ſaid to be nouriſh'd by the *Miniſtry* is a mere Phantom of our own engendering; or if it has any Exiſtence amongſt us, 'tis inoffenſive and even neceſſary.—— Let our Author ſpeak for himſelf.——'And then, forſooth, it is inſinuated, that we 'are leſs Induſtrious and *Frugal* than our Neighbours; and that is the Reaſon they underſell us at '*Foreign Markets*. But I inſiſt on it, that it is an injurious Reflection on our Nation; for in all Great 'Cities *Luxury* will of courſe prevail amongſt every 'Rank of People. Whoever looks about the Country, will be convinced of the Falſhood of it, and, 'by comparing us with our Neighbours muſt at laſt 'conclude, that we are not leſs Induſtrious than the '*Dutch*, nor leſs Frugal than the *French*.'—— I wiſh it were true.

Our *Journaliſt*, in this Paragraph, is not only inconſiſtent with himſelf on other Occaſions, but even in theſe few Lines: 'Tis an injurious Reflection, *ſays* '*he*, to inſinuate that we are become luxurious—— 'But, *he goes on*, in all great Cities Luxury will of 'courſe prevail amongſt every Rank of People.'—— This is not all neither. 'Tho' Luxury has prevail'd 'amongſt every Rank of People; yet whoever looks 'about in the Country will be convinc'd of the Falſe'hood of it.'—— The Variety had too many Charms to be dropp'd here; for toward the Cloſe of the Paragraph, he tells us no, 'we muſt conclude that we are 'not leſs frugal than the *French*.' I muſt ſuppoſe he draws this ſo very natural Inference from *Luxury's prevailing amongſt every Rank of People*.

Tho' I am almoſt tir'd of following my Brother Author in his Inconſiſtencies and Abſurdities, I cannot find in my heart to drop him until I have produced his Zeal for our *Commercial Intereſt*, and his great Skill in improving and promoting our *Trade*. 'Our very 'Being, ſays he, as a People, depends upon *Trade*,—'this is the Cement which ſecures to us all the Bleſ'ſings we enjoy.' Here I moſt readily agree with this learned Author. I am of Opinion that our Being as a People depends upon *Trade*, and it is the Cement which ſecures us all the Bleſſings we enjoy; and I verily believe, that this Conſideration alone was the ſole Motive that induced his Majeſty to try all Methods before he came to an open Rupture with a *Nation* the moſt uſeful to us in point of *Trade* of any in the World; and it certainly was very wiſe in his Majeſty, and very much like the true Father of his Country ſo do to.

But I cannot bring myſelf to wiſh with Mr. *D'Anvers*, for a Continuance of the preſent War, becauſe I am of Opinion that *War* and *Trade* are incompatible, and particularly, that we ſhall never be able to retrieve our Trade if the preſent War ſhould continue as long as *Caleb* ſeems inclin'd it ſhould.—— Our Author, ſpeaking of *Peace*, or, in his own Language, *Puſillanimity*, and aſſigning it as a Reaſon for the Declenſion of Publick Spirit; 'I know, ſays he, that 'our Conduct hath been alter'd in this reſpect of late; 'and *I wiſh a long Continuance of it*'—— My Friend being one of thoſe ſubtile Writers that ſpin a Subject as fine as a Cobweb, he goes on: 'But it may be ſome 'Time, perhaps, before we can recover our loſt Spi'rits; tho'. I muſt own, that we are at laſt got into 'the *right Way*,' &c.

I don't know how far *War* may contribute to the Recovery of *Spirits*, but certain I am, that it was never look'd upon as a Specifick for the Recovery of *Trade*: And if, according to *Caleb*, *Trade be the Cement which ſecures to us all the Bleſſings we enjoy*, I can't ſee that a Recovery of *Spirits* will be the Conſequence of a *long War*, which muſt neceſſarily deſtroy all *Trade* and Induſtry; for, except with the *factious* Part of a Community, who delight in every Miſery that creates Confuſion, I cannot conceive how that which occaſions *Poverty* ſhould contribute towards a Recovery of *Spirits*.

Y. Z.

COUNTRY NEWS.

Newcaſtle, *May* 10. On Monday laſt arriv'd in Shields Harbour ſix Tranſport-ſhips from London, in order to take on board the Hon. Col. Lowther's Regiment of Marines now quarter'd in this Town: There are all manner of Conveniences on board for their Reception, and each Ship is to carry 110 Marines and a ſufficient Complement of Sailors; they are brave ſtout Ships, and mount from 10 to 16 Carriage guns each, except the St. George, Capt John Raſton, of Hartlepool, who is Commander in Chief of this Fleet, which mounts 36 great Guns. The ſame Day arriv'd the the Clothes, &c. for the new-rais'd Men of the above Regiment. Alſo arriv'd on Thurſday laſt, a great Number of light Colliers, three Danes, and two French Veſſels.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Elſeneur, *May* 14. N. S. Since my laſt came in the Ships commanded by the following Maſters; viz. On the 11th, William Spilman, from Dantzick for London; William Preſton, from Lancaſter: On the 12th, James Renny, from Montroſs; On the 13th, Robert Edger, from Ditto, all three for Riga; Thomas Story, from Newcaſtle for Copenhagen: And on the 14th, William Hobſon, from Hull for Dantzick.

'Thoſe for the Baltick ſailed Yeſterday with the 'Wind at N. W. This Afternoon it turned to the 'S. W. Spilman, and others outward-bound are 'ſailed.'

HOME PORTS

Leith, *May* 5. Arrived the Peter and William, William Cleghorn, from Amſterdam. Sailed the ——, Tho. Young, for Peterſburgh; and the ——, John Drummond, for London.

Falmouth, *May* 10. Wnd N. E. The Packets remain as per laſt. Arrived the Lacrore, Verhage, from Topſham for Gibraltar; the Carolina, Wilkinſon, of and from South Carolina for Orders; the Mathew, Clare, of and from Guernſey for Orders. Sailed the Fly Dinſhip, and the Unicorn, both of and for London. Juſt come to an Anchor, the Lawrence, Nicholas Read, of and from Norway for Truro.

Plymouth, *May* 11. Wind N. E. Sailed his Majeſty's Ship the Panther, with all the outward-bound Ships for Newfoundland. Came in the Plymouth, Olive, from Pool for Newfoundland; the John and Edmond, Bagtel, of Topſham for South Carolina; and the Mary Magdalen, Panſart, of and from Morlaix.

Dartmouth, *May* 11. Yeſterday anchor'd in our Range, and ſail'd again this Day, the George, Teague, of this Place from Gibraltar for London in 3 Weeks: 'Who reports, that ſome Time before he ſail'd from 'Gibraltar it was ſaid there, that 14 Sail of Spaniſh 'Men of War, from 60 to 80 Guns, had ſailed from 'Cadiz; and that all Admiral Haddock's Squadron 'were at Portmahone.' Juſt now anchor'd in our Range, the Providence, Newcoman, from Briſtol for Rotterdam, and will ſail this Evening. Wind N.W.

Cowes, *May* 12. This Day ſailed the Prince of Orange, Stanton, from South Carolina for Rotterdam.

Southampton, *May* 12. Arrived the Carolina, Woods, of North Yarmouth from Rotterdam; the Two Friends, Morant, of this Place from Guernſey. Sailed the Two Friends, Pitton, of and for Guernſey. Wind S. E.

Deal, *May* 13. Wind N. E Came in and remains the Betty, Ramſey, from Montroſs for Gibraltar. Arrived and ſailed for the River, the St. Elizabeth, Campbell, from Gibraltar.

Graveſend, *May* 14. Paſſed by the St Francis, De Rudder, from Oſtend; the London Poſt, Dalton, from Amſterdam; the Pearl, Gunſton, from Gibraltar.

Arrived,

At Liverpoole, the Cape Coaſt, Smith, from Jamaica, which Place ſhe left the 3d of February laſt.

At Briſtol, the Phenix, Arthur, from St. Chriſtopher's.

At Leghorn, the North Star, Coutell, from Ancona; Happy Return, Caſparo de Cedre, from St. Ives and Alicant; St. Joſeph, Giraud, and Salvator, Depans, from Alexandria; St. Joſeph, Arnaut, from Algier; and the Andilia, Vanderlinder, for Genoa.

At Genoa, the Hollandia, Smit, from London, and another Dutch Ship from Cheſter.

At Exeter, the Carolina, Wiſh, from [illegible]

The Union, Norton, from New Engla[illegible] by the Phenix, Arthur, (arrived at [illegible] 100 Leagues to the N. W. of Cape Clear.

LONDON

We hear from Bath, that on the 1ſt of [illegible] held there the *firſt* General Court of the [illegible] lately eſtabliſh'd there by Act of Parliament for [illegible]ing,

ing, endowing and governing the new General Hospital for the diſtreſſed Poor who ſhall be ſent thither in the proper Manner directed by Law, from any Part of his Majeſty's Dominions; when the Preſident and Governors choſe by balloting the Perſons following to ſerve in their ſeveral Capacities for the Year enſuing, viz.

Humphrey Sydenham, Eſq; Peter Delme, Eſq; Richard Frewen, M. D and Robert Paine Bernard, Eſq. Governors: In the Room of the Duke of Manchester, the Earl of Scarborough, Sir William Thompſon, and John Lane, M. D. deceaſed.

Thomas Carew, Eſq; Preſident.

Francis Fauquier, Eſq; Richard Naſh, Eſq, William Oliver, M. D. Treaſurers.

William Oliver, M. D. Edward Harrington, M. D. and Alexander Rayner, M. D. Phyſicians.

Mr. Jere Peirce, Surgeon.

Mr. John Morris, Apothecary.

The Building of the Hoſpital is ſo near finiſh'd, that 'tis hop'd it will be open'd for the Admiſſion of Patients next Spring, and 'tis not doubted but when the viſible good Effects of this Charity ſhall appear in the actual Relief of the ſick Poor, well-diſpoſed Perſons of all Ranks will be as ready to contribute towards its Support and Maintenance, as they have already been nobly generous in their Subſcriptions, by which ſo commodious a Building has been erected.

Yeſterday died at his Houſe at Chelſea, Dr. Inglis, Deputy Maſter of the Ceremonies.

The ſame Day died at her Houſe in Arlington-ſtreet St James's Mrs. Beaghan, Relict of —— Beaghan, Eſq; and Mother to Edmund Hungate Beaghan, Eſq; Member of Parliament for Winchilſey in Suſſex.

We hear that his Majeſty with the Yachts, &c. are at Sheerneſs waiting a fair Wind.

Laſt Friday the Dean, Prebends, &c. of Chicheſter held a Chapter at their Cathedral, and elected the Right Rev. Dr. Matthias Mawſon Lord Biſhop of Llandaff into that See, in the Room of Dr. Francis Hare, deceaſed.

And on Monday laſt his Majeſty was pleas'd to give his Royal Aſſent under the Great Seal, which was exhibited to his Grace the Archbiſhop of Canterbury, with Command to conſirm him into that See accordingly.

And Yeſterday his Grace was p'eaſed to ſubſcribe his *Fiat Confirmatio* to the ſame, and gave Commiſſion under his Archiepiſcopal Seal to the Vicar General to perform all the Acts neceſſary to the intended Confirmation, which will be the latter End of next Week at Bow Church in Cheapſide.

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